

Eastern Kentucky News

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MADISON COUNTY.

MOTE

Oct. 2.—Charlie Gilmore of Bloomington, Ill., is visiting his mother, Mrs. Jane Gilmore, at Kingston.—A fine protracted meeting is being held at the Christian Church at Dreyfus.—There was a wedding in this vicinity last week.—Miss Ella Ballard and Arthur Riddle, of Kingston, were at Mallory Springs Sunday evening.—Cleave Roberts, of Lexington, is visiting Lawrence Garrett and John McKeen this week.—Misses Mary and Fannie Jackson and Ida and Sallie Flinchurn enjoyed a fine horse back ride Saturday evening.—Several of the college students of Berea were at this place Saturday evening.—Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Moody and daughter Edna visited Mr. and Mrs. John H. Jackson Sunday.—We are all glad to see Thursday come so we can get the Citizen, the best paper of them all.—James Hignight is just in from the mountains with a nice drove of cattle.

JACKSON COUNTY.

FOXTOWN

Sept. 30.—J. K. Baker and Smith Black passed through our town yesterday taking up staves.—Married on the 29th inst., Silas Isaacs and Miss Laura Murphy.—Tie making is all the go now in this part of the woods.—Mrs. Susan J. and Leslie Blanton have gone to Berea visiting friends and relatives.—Mathias Gabbard has been up from Berea visiting friends at Alex Blanton's and E. W. Gabbard's.—E. W. Gabbard contemplates going to Pineville next week to see his sister, Mrs. Helton.—Bud Miller has come home from Midway, Ky.—N. J. Coyle is going to look him up a location to move to.—Thos. Bailey was in our place to-day.—A. J. Harrison recently passed through, going to Wm. Johnson's.—E. P. Lainhart has painted up his store house and says that he is going to sell goods to perfection.

EVERGREEN

Oct. 2.—Green Lake and T. M. Lake have just returned from Fayette with plenty of money.—L. B. Martin's store house is still in progress.—T. J. Lake is logging near Horse Lick creek.—Bradley Lake has gone home to take care of his good old sorghum molasses.—Eugenia Burnam Hellard has been visiting her brother, T. Gabbard.—William S. Hellard has gone to Berea.—Mrs. B. Drew was the guest of Mrs. Lucy last Tuesday night.—Mr. P. McCollum passed through here last week trying to buy a mule.—Mrs. Sallie Hellard visited Mrs. Ben Drew last week.—Leonard and General Martin were the guests of Misses Myrtle and Florence Lake Sunday.

DRIP ROCK

Sept. 29.—Rev. J. W. Parsons, of Berea, held a meeting at this place Saturday and Sunday, with good attendance.—People here seem to have the Hamilton fever for H. H. Fowler and family, and Press Webb, Dan Alcorn, and Hiram and W. J. Richardson left Sunday for there, and more are contemplating going in a short while.—J. E. Parsons, of Berea, will take the place of H. H. Fowler in the firm of A. H. Williams & Co., and he solicits the trade of old customers as well as that of the new.—Fine apples are in abundance at this place.

ROCKCASTLE COUNTY.

ROCKFORD

Oct. 3.—Daddy Todd is the grower of a sunflower that measures 14 1/2 feet high and 36 inches in circumference. He also claims a tomato vine 14 feet high and still growing, as well as to have the largest bean vine in Kentucky. What Dad says is O. K.—G. V. Owens passed through here today on business.—W. H. Stephens has begun cutting corn.—The corn crop is good.—J. W. Todd will have cane harvesting the balance of the year. Looks as though he would have to pasture it down.—Next Saturday is the regular Baptist meeting at Scaffold Cane.—P. S. Calahan is remodeling his barn.—C. Holman is expected to begin drumming soon.—Mr. Creech, from near Climax, is moving to the blue grass region.—Daddy Todd grinds every Saturday. Don't forget it.—Shingle hauling is all the go, it seems.—Scaffold Cane, especially around Rockford, has a bad disease which is catching. They call it bean stringing. It is quite prevalent.

BOONE

Oct. 2.—The farmers of this locality are most done cutting corn.—Potato digging and railroad work are the principle occupation now.—Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Martin were the guests of Miss Etta Lambert Satur-

day and Sunday.—C. Drew, who has been gone from this part for the last five months, has returned and gone to work for Rev. J. W. Lambert.—Conway folks had both preaching and dancing Saturday night.—Mrs. Carrie Woodall, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wren, has gone to her home at Nicholasville, Ky.—Born to the wife of J. B. Coyle, a fine boy.—Born to the wife of B. L. Poynter, a twelve-pound girl.—Miss Etta Lambert visited Mrs. Annie Poynter last week.—Rev. J. W. Lambert and wife visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kerby Sunday.—G. L. Wren is sick at this writing.

OWSLEY COUNTY.

GABBARD

Sept. 30.—A. B. Marshall has moved his sawmill from Wolf Creek to Indian Creek and will saw ties for H. H. Rice and others.—Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Flanery and daughter, Susie, of Doe Creek, visited at J. L. Gabbard's Saturday and Sunday.—Meredith Reynolds, of Eversole, visited relatives on Indian Creek Saturday and Sunday.—C. B. Moore had a fodder saving last Tuesday. Also C. B. Gabbard a bean husking, on Friday night. Both gave the young folks a social.—Mr. Grant Hornsby, who has been confined so long with consumption, died Saturday, September 24, and was buried on Sunday.—Miss Dora Moore, a belle of this place, was united in marriage to Daniel Robinson, of Jackson county, Monday evening, September 25, at her home, Esq. Chandler officiating. The young couple will leave soon for South Lebanon, O., where they will reside for some time. Our heartiest and best wishes go with them that they may have a happy useful future. There has been a primary election called for October 18, in Cow Creek district, for the purpose of nominating a magistrate.—Mrs. Mary J. Fox and Jefferson Lynch, of Lower Buffalo, spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives at this place. Mrs. Fox is a hustling agent for cloverine salve. She says, "It goes like hot cakes at an election."—Mr. and Mrs. Meredith Gabbard, of Hamilton, O., are spending a week visiting relatives at this place and Doe Creek this week. They have their twin girl babies, only four months old, with them. They look to be eight months old and caused considerable excitement wherever they go, for they are certainly a beautiful pair and Mr. Gabbard says no amount of money could buy them.—Miss M. J. Cort, of Cortland, arranged a fine program for Children's Day in the Sunday-school at this place Sunday, September 24. There was a large attendance, and much interest was manifested by all. Some straight pointed talks were given by Miss Cort and teachers, explaining the good that may be accomplished through a Sunday-school. The audience had the pleasure of having with them, Mr. and Mrs. Meredith Gabbard, of Hamilton, O. Mr. Gabbard, having been a citizen and teacher at this place for several years, gave us a helpful talk on "Our Record and How We Keep It." The little folks all seemed to enjoy their parts exceedingly well and showed their zeal in helping God's work for the people. May the banner for Jesus ever float throughout our entire land and His love reign in all hearts.

COW CREEK

Sept. 25.—Pete Hacker is still suffering with his great toe.—W. T. Frost is drilling wells in Breathitt county.—Gabbard Bros., of Gabbard, Ky., are pulling fodder for D. G. Reynolds.—John S. Gabbard, of Eversole, is on the sick list.—C. B. Moore gave the boys and girls an enjoyable time at his home Friday evening.—Hon. John Mason, of Floyd, paid us a passing visit Tuesday. We are glad to welcome Bro. Mason.—Thos. Porter and Mr. Summers, stave and tie inspectors of Beattysville, were with us Thursday.—Daniel Robinson and Miss Dora Moore, both of Gabbard, were united in the bonds of holy matrimony Monday. Safely may they onward glide; health and comfort by their side.—John Cornet was with us recently.

MAJOR

Sept. 30.—We are having some fine weather now, and the farmers are making their molasses.—The next Teachers' Association will be held at Flanery's Mission, district No. 2, on the third Saturday in October. Let every teacher be present.—Miss Mollie Bowman had the misfortune to be thrown from a young horse that she was breaking to ride, and had her arm badly hurt.—Misses Nettie and Alice Treadway, of Garrard county, are visiting in Owsley county now.—Last Friday night the

students of Rowland's Chapel school gave a box-supper, the purpose of which was to raise funds to buy a library for the school. It will fill a long felt want. This is the first school in Owsley county to take a step towards securing a library. We hope other schools will follow the example.—A. M. Clark is having great success as a teacher.—Nearly all the teachers in the county were taken before the last grand jury and a number of indictments were returned as a result. We are glad to know that the people are awakening to the great wrong that it is to bribe a trustee, or to secure the questions in advance of the examination, and sincerely hope that every self-respecting, public spirited teacher and citizen will do all that lies in their power to stop such wrong-doings.

VINCENT

Sept. 30.—Farmers are through their fodder, and now are commencing their sorghums.—Brown Bowman was in Vincent Sunday.—Court is over at Booneville with the usual number of indictments.—G. C. Botner started for Richmond Friday with a drove of cattle.—Several of our old farmers are preparing to start for the west to locate a future home.—G. C. Roberts passed through our place Monday on his way to Heidelberg.—Deputy Marshal William Mays has just returned from a raiding trip through Lee, Jackson and Breathitt counties, in which he had the unique experience of being attacked and badly beaten and having his trousers removed by a party of mountain women who took this method of revenging themselves upon the would-be captor of their moonshiner friends. While at his office in Beattysville Mr. Mays received word that Jack Gibson, one of the most noted moonshiners of Kentucky, was running his still in full blast on Bull Creek, Jackson county. Without summoning a posse, Mays at once went to Jackson county and located Gibson's still without much difficulty. He destroyed the still, but with the experience mentioned above. He did not succeed in capturing Gibson.

FLOYD

Ricetown, Ky., Sept. 27. Dear Editor of Citizen:

That "facts may be submitted to a candid world," allow us to correct the statements made by your correspondents at Cow Creek, Ricetown (Floyd) and Gabbard, concerning the decision of the judges in the debate between the Grassy Branch and Ingersoll Debating Societies, at Ricetown, Ky., Sept. 16, 1905.

As conclusive evidence we offer the following statement from two of the three judges:

Gentlemen:—As there is some misunderstanding as to the decision of the judges in the joint debate between Grassy Branch and Ingersoll Debating Societies held at Ricetown Ky., Sept. 16, 1905, we wish to say that we are two of the three judges and we decided that the Negative, Grassy Branch, won the debate.

W. J. Moore, Cow Creek, Ky.
W. M. Bailey, Ricetown, Ky.

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